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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is:

An Amendment in the above-identified application (12 pages)  
 Verified English translation of Applicants German priority application (German Patent Application No. 101 37 011.3);  
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